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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Jean Yves Tredez

Appln. No.: 10/816,029

Filed: April 1, 2004

For: Air-Bag Unit Mounted On A Seat

Attorney Docket No: 12400-006

Examiner: Tiffany Louise Webb

Art Unit: 3616

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Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111; 1 SHEET REPLACEMENT DRAWING
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard.

Fee calculation:

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
- ☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$_____ for a _____-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
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- ☒ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	12	Minus	20	0	x \$25=			x \$50=	
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First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=			+\$360=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$200

Fee payment:

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$200.00. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- ☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed August 17, 2006, Applicant respectfully submits this paper comprising the following parts:

- I. **Amendments to the Specification**, page 2;
- II. **Listing of Claims**, page 3;
- III. **Amendments to the Drawings**, page 6;
- IV. **Amendments to the Abstract**, page 7; and
- V. **Remarks**, beginning on page 8.

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